

Fill in this information to identify your case:

United States Bankruptcy Court for the:

EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK, BROOKLYN DIVISION

Case number (if known) _____ Chapter 11☐ Check if this an amended filing**Official Form 201****Voluntary Petition for Non-Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy**

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If more space is needed, attach a separate sheet to this form. On the top of any additional pages, write the debtor's name and the case number (if known). For more information, a separate document, *Instructions for Bankruptcy Forms for Non-Individuals*, is available.

1. Debtor's name	<u>31-41 44th St Realty LLC</u>	
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2. All other names debtor used in the last 8 years <small>Include any assumed names, trade names and doing business as names</small>	<u>AKA 31-41 44th Street Realty LLC</u>	
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3. Debtor's federal Employer Identification Number (EIN)	<u>77-0625932</u>	
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4. Debtor's address	Principal place of business <u>31-41 44th St.</u> <u>Astoria, NY 11103</u> <small>Number, Street, City, State & ZIP Code</small> <u>Queens</u> <small>County</small>	Mailing address, if different from principal place of business _____ <small>P.O. Box, Number, Street, City, State & ZIP Code</small> Location of principal assets, if different from principal place of business _____ <small>Number, Street, City, State & ZIP Code</small>
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5. Debtor's website (URL)	_____	
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6. Type of debtor	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Corporation (including Limited Liability Company (LLC) and Limited Liability Partnership (LLP)) <input type="checkbox"/> Partnership (excluding LLP) <input type="checkbox"/> Other. Specify: _____	
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Debtor 31-41 44th St Realty LLC
Name

Case number (if known) _____

7. Describe debtor's business**A. Check one:**

- ☐ Health Care Business (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(27A))
- ☐ Single Asset Real Estate (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(51B))
- ☐ Railroad (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(44))
- ☐ Stockbroker (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(53A))
- ☐ Commodity Broker (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(6))
- ☐ Clearing Bank (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 781(3))
- ☒ None of the above

B. Check all that apply

- ☐ Tax-exempt entity (as described in 26 U.S.C. § 501)
- ☐ Investment company, including hedge fund or pooled investment vehicle (as defined in 15 U.S.C. § 80a-3)
- ☐ Investment advisor (as defined in 15 U.S.C. § 80b-2(a)(11))

C. NAICS (North American Industry Classification System) 4-digit code that best describes debtor. See <http://www.uscourts.gov/four-digit-national-association-naics-codes>.

8. Under which chapter of the Bankruptcy Code is the debtor filing?**Check one:**

- ☐ Chapter 7
- ☐ Chapter 9
- ☒ Chapter 11. **Check all that apply:**
- ☐ Debtor's aggregate noncontingent liquidated debts (excluding debts owed to insiders or affiliates) are less than \$3,024,725 (amount subject to adjustment on 4/01/25 and every 3 years after that).
- ☒ The debtor is a small business debtor as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(51D). If the debtor is a small business debtor, attach the most recent balance sheet, statement of operations, cash-flow statement, and federal income tax return or if all of these documents do not exist, follow the procedure in 11 U.S.C. § 1116(1)(B).
- ☐ The debtor is a small business debtor as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(51D), and it chooses to proceed under Subchapter V of Chapter 11.
- ☐ A plan is being filed with this petition.
- ☐ Acceptances of the plan were solicited prepetition from one or more classes of creditors, in accordance with 11 U.S.C. § 1126(b).
- ☐ The debtor is required to file periodic reports (for example, 10K and 10Q) with the Securities and Exchange Commission according to § 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. File the *Attachment to Voluntary Petition for Non-Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy under Chapter 11* (Official Form 201A) with this form.
- ☐ The debtor is a shell company as defined in the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 Rule 12b-2.
- ☐ Chapter 12

9. Were prior bankruptcy cases filed by or against the debtor within the last 8 years?

- ☒ No.
- ☐ Yes.

If more than 2 cases, attach a separate list.

District _____	When _____	Case number _____
District _____	When _____	Case number _____

10. Are any bankruptcy cases pending or being filed by a business partner or an affiliate of the debtor?

- ☒ No
- ☐ Yes.

List all cases. If more than 1, attach a separate list

Debtor _____	Relationship _____
District _____	Case number, if known _____

Debtor 31-41 44th St Realty LLC Case number (if known) _____
 Name

- 11. Why is the case filed in this district?** *Check all that apply:*
- ☒ Debtor has had its domicile, principal place of business, or principal assets in this district for 180 days immediately preceding the date of this petition or for a longer part of such 180 days than in any other district.
- ☐ A bankruptcy case concerning debtor's affiliate, general partner, or partnership is pending in this district.

- 12. Does the debtor own or have possession of any real property or personal property that needs immediate attention?**
- ☒ No
- ☐ Yes. Answer below for each property that needs immediate attention. Attach additional sheets if needed.
- Why does the property need immediate attention? (Check all that apply.)**
- ☐ It poses or is alleged to pose a threat of imminent and identifiable hazard to public health or safety.
 What is the hazard? _____
- ☐ It needs to be physically secured or protected from the weather.
- ☐ It includes perishable goods or assets that could quickly deteriorate or lose value without attention (for example, livestock, seasonal goods, meat, dairy, produce, or securities-related assets or other options).
- ☐ Other _____
- Where is the property?** _____
 Number, Street, City, State & ZIP Code
- Is the property insured?**
- ☐ No
- ☐ Yes. Insurance agency _____
 Contact name _____
 Phone _____

Statistical and administrative information

- 13. Debtor's estimation of available funds** *Check one:*
- ☒ Funds will be available for distribution to unsecured creditors.
- ☐ After any administrative expenses are paid, no funds will be available to unsecured creditors.

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| 14. Estimated number of creditors | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1-49 | <input type="checkbox"/> 1,000-5,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> 25,001-50,000 |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> 50-99 | <input type="checkbox"/> 5001-10,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> 50,001-100,000 |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> 100-199 | <input type="checkbox"/> 10,001-25,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> More than 100,000 |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> 200-999 | | |
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| 15. Estimated Assets | <input type="checkbox"/> \$0 - \$50,000 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$1,000,001 - \$10 million | <input type="checkbox"/> \$500,000,001 - \$1 billion |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> \$50,001 - \$100,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000,001 - \$50 million | <input type="checkbox"/> \$1,000,000,001 - \$10 billion |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> \$100,001 - \$500,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$50,000,001 - \$100 million | <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000,000,001 - \$50 billion |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> \$500,001 - \$1 million | <input type="checkbox"/> \$100,000,001 - \$500 million | <input type="checkbox"/> More than \$50 billion |
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| 16. Estimated liabilities | <input type="checkbox"/> \$0 - \$50,000 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$1,000,001 - \$10 million | <input type="checkbox"/> \$500,000,001 - \$1 billion |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> \$50,001 - \$100,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000,001 - \$50 million | <input type="checkbox"/> \$1,000,000,001 - \$10 billion |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> \$100,001 - \$500,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$50,000,001 - \$100 million | <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000,000,001 - \$50 billion |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> \$500,001 - \$1 million | <input type="checkbox"/> \$100,000,001 - \$500 million | <input type="checkbox"/> More than \$50 billion |

Debtor 31-41 44th St Realty LLC
Name

Case number (if known) _____

Request for Relief, Declaration, and Signatures

WARNING -- Bankruptcy fraud is a serious crime. Making a false statement in connection with a bankruptcy case can result in fines up to \$500,000 or imprisonment for up to 20 years, or both. 18 U.S.C. §§ 152, 1341, 1519, and 3571.

**17. Declaration and signature
of authorized
representative of debtor**

The debtor requests relief in accordance with the chapter of title 11, United States Code, specified in this petition.

I have been authorized to file this petition on behalf of the debtor.

I have examined the information in this petition and have a reasonable belief that the information is true and correct.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on October 4, 2024
MM / DD / YYYY**X** /s/ Anthony Koutsidis
Signature of authorized representative of debtorAnthony Koutsidis
Printed name

Title _____

18. Signature of attorney **X** /s/ Julio E. Portilla
Signature of attorney for debtorDate October 4, 2024
MM / DD / YYYYJulio E. Portilla
Printed nameJulio E. Portilla
Firm name380 Lexington Ave. 4th Floor
New York, NY 10168
Number, Street, City, State & ZIP CodeContact phone (212) 365-0292 Email address jp@julioportillalaw.com4498093 NY
Bar number and State

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☐ Check if this is an amended filing**Official Form 204****Chapter 11 or Chapter 9 Cases: List of Creditors Who Have the 20 Largest Unsecured Claims and Are Not Insiders****12/15**

A list of creditors holding the 20 largest unsecured claims must be filed in a Chapter 11 or Chapter 9 case. Include claims which the debtor disputes. Do not include claims by any person or entity who is an insider, as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(31). Also, do not include claims by secured creditors, unless the unsecured claim resulting from inadequate collateral value places the creditor among the holders of the 20 largest unsecured claims.

Name of creditor and complete mailing address, including zip code	Name, telephone number and email address of creditor contact	Nature of claim (for example, trade debts, bank loans, professional services, and government contracts)	Indicate if claim is contingent, unliquidated, or disputed	Amount of claim If the claim is fully unsecured, fill in only unsecured claim amount. If claim is partially secured, fill in total claim amount and deduction for value of collateral or setoff to calculate unsecured claim.		
				Total claim, if partially secured	Deduction for value of collateral or setoff	Unsecured claim
Lancewood Capital, LLC 1 American Ln Greenwich, CT 06831			Disputed	\$2,190,828.50	\$0.00	\$2,190,828.50
National Grid PO Box 11741 Newark, NJ 07101						\$0.00
New York City Department of Finance 66 John Street New York, NY 10038						\$0.00
NYC Enviromental Control Board 66 John Street, 10th Floor New York, NY 10038						\$0.00
NYC Fire Department Church Steet Station PO Box 840 New York, NY 10008						\$0.00
NYC Water Board c/o DEP/BCS Customer Service PO Box 739055 Elmhurst, NY 11373						\$0.00

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Eastern District of New York, Brooklyn Division**

In re 31-41 44th St Realty LLC

Debtor(s)

Case No.
Chapter11

LIST OF EQUITY SECURITY HOLDERS

Following is the list of the Debtor's equity security holders which is prepared in accordance with rule 1007(a)(3) for filing in this Chapter 11 Case

Name and last known address or place of business of holder	Security Class	Number of Securities	Kind of Interest
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-NONE-

DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY ON BEHALF OF CORPORATION OR PARTNERSHIP

I, the of the corporation named as the debtor in this case, declare under penalty of perjury that I have read the foregoing List of Equity Security Holders and that it is true and correct to the best of my information and belief.

Date October 4, 2024Signature /s/ Anthony Koutsidis
Anthony Koutsidis

Penalty for making a false statement of concealing property: Fine of up to \$500,000 or imprisonment for up to 5 years or both.
18 U.S.C. §§ 152 and 3571.

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DISCLOSURE OF COMPENSATION OF ATTORNEY FOR DEBTOR(S)

1. Pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 329(a) and Fed. Bankr. P. 2016(b), I certify that I am the attorney for the above named debtor(s) and that compensation paid to me within one year before the filing of the petition in bankruptcy, or agreed to be paid to me, for services rendered or to be rendered on behalf of the debtor(s) in contemplation of or in connection with the bankruptcy case is as follows:

For legal services, I have agreed to accept	\$	<u>10,000.00</u>
Prior to the filing of this statement I have received	\$	<u>5,500.00</u>
Balance Due	\$	<u>4,500.00</u>

2. The source of the compensation paid to me was:

☐ Debtor ☒ Other (specify): Debtor's Member: Anthony Koutsidis

3. The source of compensation to be paid to me is:

☒ Debtor ☐ Other (specify):

4. ☒ I have not agreed to share the above-disclosed compensation with any other person unless they are members and associates of my law firm.

☐ I have agreed to share the above-disclosed compensation with a person or persons who are not members or associates of my law firm. A copy of the agreement, together with a list of the names of the people sharing in the compensation is attached.

5. In return for the above-disclosed fee, I have agreed to render legal service for all aspects of the bankruptcy case, including:

- a. Analysis of the debtor's financial situation, and rendering advice to the debtor in determining whether to file a petition in bankruptcy;
- b. Preparation and filing of any petition, schedules, statement of affairs and plan which may be required;
- c. Representation of the debtor at the meeting of creditors and confirmation hearing, and any adjourned hearings thereof;
- d. [Other provisions as needed]
 Negotiations with secured creditors to reduce to market value; exemption planning; preparation and filing of reaffirmation agreements and applications as needed; preparation and filing of motions pursuant to 11 USC 522(f)(2)(A) for avoidance of liens on household goods.

6. By agreement with the debtor(s), the above-disclosed fee does not include the following service:

Representation of the debtors in any dischargeability actions, judicial lien avoidances, relief from stay actions or any other adversary proceeding.

CERTIFICATION

I certify that the foregoing is a complete statement of any agreement or arrangement for payment to me for representation of the debtor(s) in this bankruptcy proceeding.

October 4, 2024

Date

/s/ Julio E. Portilla

Julio E. Portilla

Signature of Attorney

Julio E. Portilla

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Name of law firm

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VERIFICATION OF CREDITOR MATRIX

The above named debtor(s) or attorney for the debtor(s) hereby verify that the attached matrix (list of creditors) is true and correct to the best of their knowledge.

Date: October 4, 2024/s/ Anthony Koutsidis

Anthony Koutsidis/

Signer/Title

Date: October 4, 2024/s/ Julio E. Portilla

Signature of Attorney

Julio E. Portilla

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Department of Taxation
and Finance Civil Enforcement Div
Albany, NY 12227

Internal Revenue Service
P.O. Box 7346
Philadelphia, PA 19101

Lancewood Capital, LLC
1 American Ln
Greenwich, CT 06831

National Grid
PO Box 11741
Newark, NJ 07101

New York City Department of Finance
66 John Street
New York, NY 10038

NYC Environmental Control Board
66 John Street, 10th Floor
New York, NY 10038

NYC Fire Department
Church Street Station PO Box 840
New York, NY 10008

NYC Water Board c/o
DEP/BCS Customer Service PO Box 739055
Elmhurst, NY 11373

Referee Bruce S. Povman
1112 Wilmot Rd.
Scarsdale, NY 10583

The Camporeale Law Group PLLC
585 Stewart Avenue, Suite 770
Garden City, NY 11530

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CORPORATE OWNERSHIP STATEMENT (RULE 7007.1)

Pursuant to Federal Rule of Bankruptcy Procedure 7007.1 and to enable the Judges to evaluate possible disqualification or recusal, the undersigned counsel for 31-41 44th St Realty LLC in the above captioned action, certifies that the following is a (are) corporation(s), other than the debtor or a governmental unit, that directly or indirectly own(s) 10% or more of any class of the corporation's(s') equity interests, or states that there are no entities to report under FRBP 7007.1:

☐ None [*Check if applicable*]

October 4, 2024

Date

/s/ Julio E. Portilla

Julio E. Portilla

Signature of Attorney or Litigant

Counsel for 31-41 44th St Realty LLC

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**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK, BROOKLYN DIVISION**

**STATEMENT PURSUANT TO LOCAL
BANKRUPTCY RULE 1073-2(b)**

DEBTOR(S): 31-41 44th St Realty LLC **CASE NO.:** _____

Pursuant to Local Bankruptcy Rule 1073-2(b), the debtor (*or any other petitioner*) hereby makes the following disclosure concerning Related Cases, to the petitioner's best knowledge, information and belief:

[NOTE: Cases shall be deemed "Related Cases" for purposes of E.D.N.Y. LBR 1073-1 and E.D.N.Y. LBR 1073-2 if the earlier case was pending at any time within eight years before the filing of the new petition, and the debtors in such cases: (i) are the same; (ii) are spouses or ex-spouses; (iii) are affiliates, as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(2); (iv) are general partners in the same partnership; (v) are a partnership and one or more of its general partners; (vi) are partnerships which share one or more common general partners; or (vii) have, or within 180 days of the commencement of either of the Related Cases had, an interest in property that was or is included in the property of another estate under 11 U.S.C. § 541(a).]

☒ NO RELATED CASE IS PENDING OR HAS BEEN PENDING AT ANY TIME.

☐ THE FOLLOWING RELATED CASE(S) IS PENDING OR HAS BEEN PENDING:

1. CASE NO.: _____ JUDGE: _____ DISTRICT/DIVISION: _____

CASE STILL PENDING (Y/N): _____ [If closed] Date of closing: _____

CURRENT STATUS OF RELATED CASE: _____
(Discharged/awaiting discharge, confirmed, dismissed, etc.)

MANNER IN WHICH CASES ARE RELATED (*Refer to NOTE above*): _____

REAL PROPERTY LISTED IN DEBTOR'S SCHEDULE "A" ("REAL PROPERTY") WHICH WAS ALSO LISTED IN SCHEDULE "A" OF RELATED CASE: _____

2. CASE NO.: _____ JUDGE: _____ DISTRICT/DIVISION: _____

CASE STILL PENDING (Y/N): _____ [If closed] Date of closing: _____

CURRENT STATUS OF RELATED CASE: _____
(Discharged/awaiting discharge, confirmed, dismissed, etc.)

MANNER IN WHICH CASES ARE RELATED (*Refer to NOTE above*): _____

REAL PROPERTY LISTED IN DEBTOR'S SCHEDULE "A" ("REAL PROPERTY") WHICH WAS ALSO LISTED IN SCHEDULE "A" OF RELATED CASE: _____

3. CASE NO.: _____ JUDGE: _____ DISTRICT/DIVISION: _____

CASE STILL PENDING (Y/N): _____ [If closed] Date of closing: _____

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DISCLOSURE OF RELATED CASES (cont'd)

CURRENT STATUS OF RELATED CASE: _____

(Discharged/awaiting discharge, confirmed, dismissed, etc.)

MANNER IN WHICH CASES ARE RELATED (*Refer to NOTE above*): _____

REAL PROPERTY LISTED IN DEBTOR'S SCHEDULE "A" ("REAL PROPERTY") WHICH WAS ALSO LISTED IN SCHEDULE "A" OF RELATED CASE: _____

NOTE: Pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 109(g), certain individuals who have had prior cases dismissed within the preceding 180 days may not be eligible to be debtors. Such an individual will be required to file a statement in support of his/her eligibility to file.

TO BE COMPLETED BY DEBTOR/PETITIONER'S ATTORNEY, AS APPLICABLE:

I am admitted to practice in the Eastern District of New York (Y/N): Y

CERTIFICATION (to be signed by pro se debtor/petitioner or debtor/petitioner's attorney, as applicable):

I certify under penalty of perjury that the within bankruptcy case is not related to any case now pending or pending at any time, except as indicated elsewhere on this form.

/s/ Julio E. Portilla

Julio E. Portilla

Signature of Debtor's Attorney

Julio E. Portilla

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New York, NY 10168

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Signature of Pro Se Debtor/Petitioner_____
Signature of Pro Se Joint Debtor/Petitioner_____
Mailing Address of Debtor/Petitioner_____
City, State, Zip Code_____
Area Code and Telephone Number

Failure to fully and truthfully provide all information required by the E.D.N.Y. LBR 1073-2 Statement may subject the debtor or any other petitioner and their attorney to appropriate sanctions, including without limitation conversion, the appointment of a trustee or the dismissal of the case with prejudice.

NOTE: Any change in address must be reported to the Court immediately IN WRITING. Dismissal of your petition may otherwise result.